OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION 1624 West Adams - Suite 202 Phoenix, Arizona 85007

Minutes of Meeting July 16, 1969

Present:

Absent:

Mr. Lucien B. Owens, Member

Mr. Ralph W. Bilby, Chairman

Mr. Kenneth G. Bentson, Vice Chairman

Mr. George T. Siler, Member Mr. Frank E. Moore, Member

Mr. John Bannister, Executive Secretary

Mr. James R. Scurlock, Geologist

Mr. James A. Lambert, Administrative Assistant

Mr. Al Wessler, Joint Legislative Budget Committee

Mr. Don Sockrider, Joint Legislative Budget Committee

Chairman Ralph Bilby called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

The minutes of the meeting of May 21, 1969 were approved as read.

Reports of the Executive Secretary and Geologist were accepted.

The Executive Secretary was instructed to draft an order to Commission personnel to the effect that they are to cooperate with oil well drillers in the field or elsewhere in any way possible and to disregard any verbal instructions heretofore given to the contrary.

Thorough discussion was held on the meeting to be held with the Oil and Gas Study Subcommittee of the Department of Economic Planning and Development on July 17th to consider what is necessary to encourage development of the oil and gas industry. Mr. Moore, Mr. Bannister and Mr. Scurlock will attend.

Preliminary discussion was held on the budget to be presented in September for the fiscal year 1970-71.

Meeting adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

APPROVED , August 13, 1969

Ralph W. Bilby, Chairman